



How to change rear anti  
roll bar links on **Audi A4**  
**B8** – replacement guide

## VIDEO TUTORIAL



### **i Important!**

This replacement procedure can be used for:

AUDI A7 Sportback (4GA, 4GF) 3.0 TDI, AUDI A6 C7 Saloon (4G2, 4GC) 2.8 FSI, AUDI A6 C7 Saloon (4G2, 4GC) 2.8 FSI quattro, AUDI A6 C7 Saloon (4G2, 4GC) 3.0 TFSI quattro, AUDI A6 C7 Saloon (4G2, 4GC) 2.0 TDI, AUDI A6 C7 Saloon (4G2, 4GC) 3.0 TDI, AUDI A6 C7 Saloon (4G2, 4GC) 3.0 TDI quattro, AUDI A5 B8 Coupe (8T3) RS5 quattro, AUDI A6 C7 Saloon (4G2, 4GC) 2.0 TFSI, AUDI A8 D4 (4H2, 4H8, 4HC, 4HL) 6.3 W12 quattro, AUDI A8 D4 (4H2, 4H8, 4HC, 4HL) 3.0 TFSI quattro, AUDI A7 Sportback (4GA, 4GF) 3.0 TDI quattro, AUDI A7 Sportback (4GA, 4GF) 2.8 FSI, AUDI A7 Sportback (4GA, 4GF) 3.0 TFSI quattro, AUDI A6 C7 Avant (4G5, 4GD) 2.8 FSI, (+ 114)

The steps may slightly vary depending on the car design.

## REPLACEMENT: ANTI ROLL BAR LINKS – AUDI A4 B8. TOOLS YOU NEED:



- Wire brush
- WD-40 spray
- Brake cleaner
- Copper grease
- Combination spanner #16
- Drive socket # 16
- Wheel impact socket #17
- Ratchet wrench
- Torque wrench
- Hydraulic transmission jack
- Wheel chock

**BUY TOOLS**

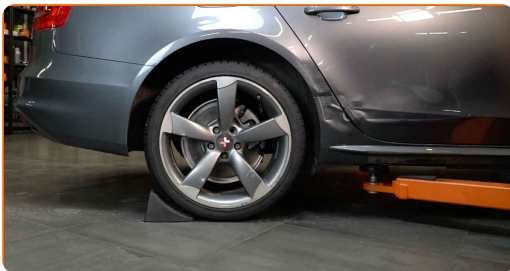
Replacement: anti roll bar links – Audi A4 B8. AUTODOC experts recommend:

- Replace the stabiliser links on Audi A4 B8 in pairs.
- The replacement procedure is identical for both stabiliser links on the same axle.
- All work should be done with the engine stopped.

## REPLACEMENT: ANTI ROLL BAR LINKS – AUDI A4 B8. USE THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE:

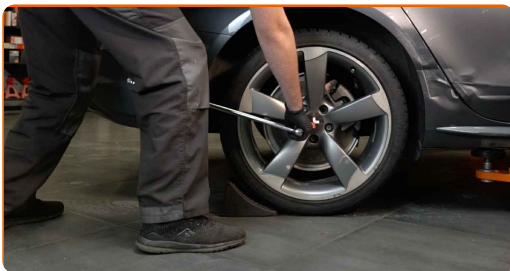
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Secure the wheels with chocks.



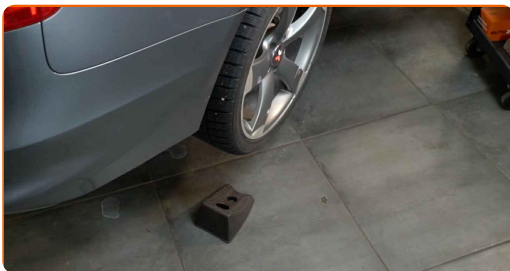
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Loosen the wheel mounting bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



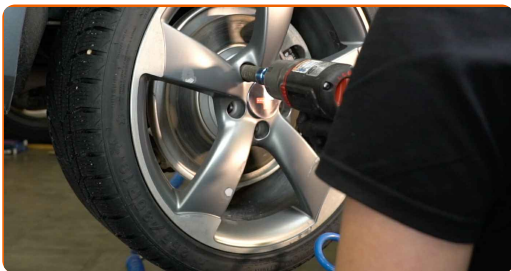
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Raise the rear of the car and secure on supports.



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Unscrew the wheel bolts.

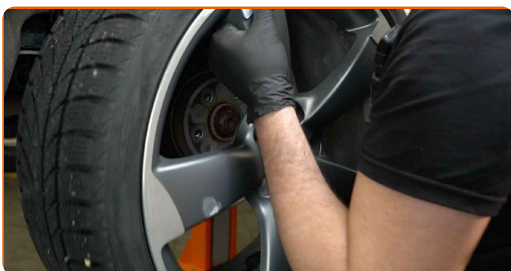


AUTODOC recommends:

- Important! Hold the wheel while unscrewing the fastening bolts. Audi A4 B8

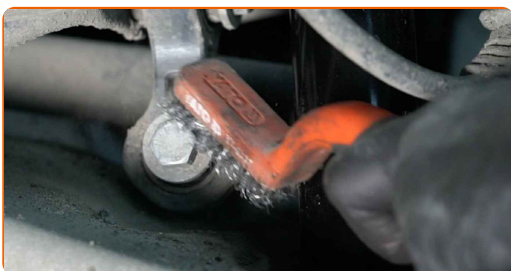
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Remove the wheel.



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Clean the stabiliser link fasteners. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.

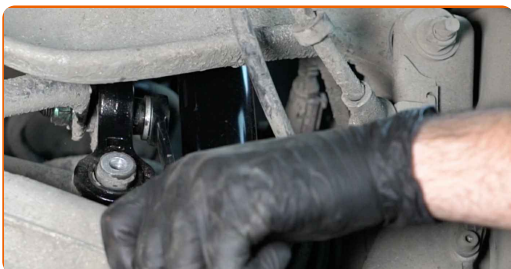


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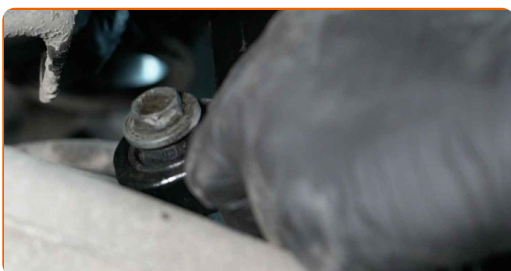
Unscrew the fastener connecting the stabilizer bar with the control arm. Use a drive socket #16. Use a ratchet wrench.



- 8 Unscrew the fasteners connecting the stabiliser link to the stabiliser bar. Use a combination spanner #16 (2 pieces).



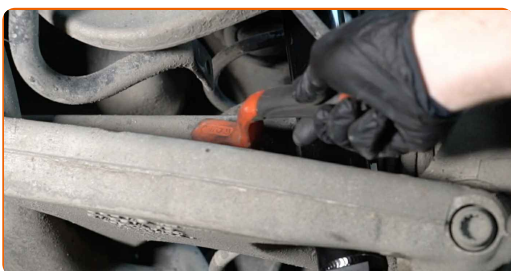
- 9 Remove the stabilizer rod.



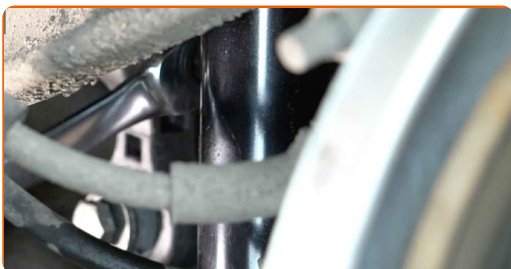
### Replacement: anti roll bar links – Audi A4 B8. Tip:

- Examine stabiliser bushes. Replace them if needed.

- 10 Clean the mounting seats of the stabiliser link. Use a wire brush. Use WD-40 spray.



- 11 Install a new rod, tighten the fasteners. Use a combination spanner #16 (2 pieces). Use a drive socket #16. Use a ratchet wrench.



- 12 Support the arm. Use a hydraulic transmission jack.



- 13 Tighten the fastener connecting the stabilizer bar with the control arm. Use a combination spanner #16. Use a drive socket #16. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 40 Nm torque. +90°



### AUTODOC recommends:

- Important! Be sure to use new fasteners.



- 14** Tighten the fastener connecting the stabilizer link to the stabilizer bar. Use a combination spanner #16. Use a drive socket #16. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 40 Nm torque. +90°



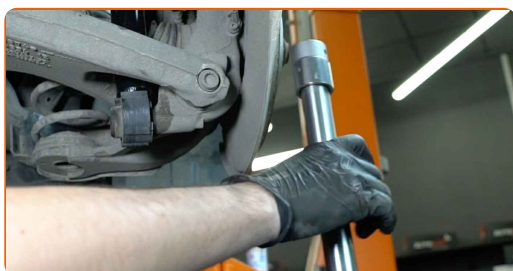
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- 15** Treat all joints of the stabiliser link. Use copper grease.



- 16** Remove the support from under the arm.





### AUTODOC recommends:

- Audi A4 B8 – Do not lower the transmission jack sharply to avoid damaging components and mechanisms of the car.

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Treat the surface where the brake disc contacts the wheel rim. Use copper grease.



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Clean the brake disk surface. Use a brake cleaner.

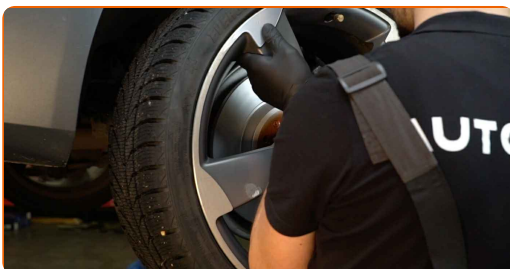


Replacement: anti roll bar links – Audi A4 B8. Tip from AUTODOC experts:

- After applying the spray, wait a few minutes.

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Install the wheel.



### AUTODOC recommends:

- Warning! To avoid injury, hold the wheel while screwing in the fastening bolts on the car. Audi A4 B8

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Screw in the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17.



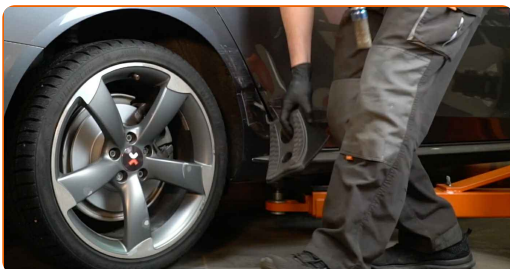
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Lower the car and working in a cross order, tighten the wheel bolts. Use wheel impact socket #17. Use a torque wrench. Tighten it to 120 Nm torque.



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Remove the jacks and chocks.



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